UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

F/V SOFTWARE, L.L.C., :

Plaintiff, : Civil Action

No. 05-11286-REK

v. :

ASPEN TECHNOLOGY, INC., :

Defendant. :

NOTICE OF APPEARANCE

Please enter my appearance as counsel of record on behalf of Defendant

Aspen Technology, Inc. in the above captioned-action.

Dated: October 20, 2005 Respectfully submitted,

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